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FOREIGN-LANGUAGE REFERENCE

A concise explanation of the relevance of the listed reference not in the English language follows:

Swiss Patent No. 167073: This patent appears to show a pipe with plural holes and a nozzle in each hole for directing fluid from the holes in plural directions.

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